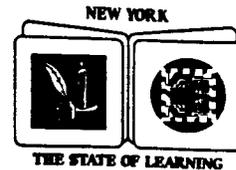


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OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL DISCIPLINE  
ONE PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10016-5802

February 16, 1990

Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese  
Physician  
88-30 51st Avenue - Apt. 1C  
Elmhurst, N.Y. 11373-3920

Re: License No. 147363

147362

Dear Dr. Geevarghese:

Enclosed please find Commissioner's Order No. 10509. This Order and any penalty contained therein goes into effect five (5) days after the date of this letter.

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a surrender, revocation or suspension of your license, you must deliver your license and registration to this Department within ten (10) days after the date of this letter. In such a case your penalty goes into effect five (5) days after the date of this letter even if you fail to meet the time requirement of delivering your license and registration to this Department.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. KELLEHER  
Director of Investigations

By:

MOIRA A. DORAN  
Supervisor

DJK/MAH/er  
Enclosures

CERTIFIED MAIL- RRR

cc:



Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D.

I hereby make this application to the Board of Regents and request that it be granted.

I understand that, in the event that the application is not granted by the Board of Regents, nothing contained herein shall be binding upon me or construed to be an admission of any act of misconduct alleged or charged against me, such application shall not be used against me in any way and shall be kept in strict confidence during the pendency of the professional misconduct disciplinary proceeding; and such denial by the Board of Regents shall be made without prejudice to the continuance of any disciplinary proceeding and the final determination by the Board of Regents pursuant to the provisions of the Education Law.

I agree that, in the event the Board of Regents grants my application, an order of the Commissioner of Education may be issued striking my name from the roster of physicians in the State of New York without further notice to me.

I further agree that the order of the Commissioner shall include a provision that I shall not apply for the restoration of my license until at least one (1) year has elapsed from the effective date of the service of such order. I understand that such application is not automatically granted but may be granted or denied.

Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D.

No promises of any kind were made to me. I am making this application of my own free will and accord and not under duress, compulsion or restraint of any kind or manner.

Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese M.D.

Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D.  
Respondent

Sworn to before me this  
20 day of October, 1989

[Signature]

NOTARY PUBLIC  
DIANNE ABELOFF  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York  
No. 24477  
Qualified  
Commission Expires March 30, 1994

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

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IN THE MATTER :  
OF : APPLICATION TO  
Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D. : SURRENDER  
: LICENSE  
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The undersigned agree to the application in this matter.

Date: July 21, 1989

Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D.  
Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D.  
Respondent

Date: Nov 10, 1989

William S. Tanner  
MEMBER, State Board for  
Professional Medical Conduct

Date: Nov. 9, 1989

Kathleen M. Tanner  
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Director, Office of Professional  
Medical Conduct

MUKALINPURATHU GEEVARGHESE, M.D.

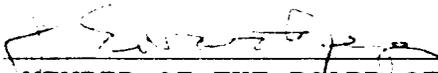
The undersigned has reviewed and agrees to the attached application to surrender license.

Date: 11/3, 1989

  
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DAVID AXELROD, M.D.  
Commissioner of Health

The undersigned, a member of the Board of Regents who has been designated by the Chairman of the Regents Committee on Professional Discipline to review this application to surrender license, has reviewed the attached application to surrender license and recommends to the Board of Regents that the application be granted.

Date: November 12, 1989

  
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MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

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IN THE MATTER : STATEMENT  
OF : OF  
Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D. : CHARGES

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Mukalinpurathu Geevarghese, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York State on August 14, 1981 by the issuance of license number 147362 by the New York State Education Department. The Respondent is currently registered with the New York State Education Department to practice medicine for the period January 1, 1989 through December 31, 1991 at 88 30 51st Avenue, Elmhurst, N.Y. 11373-3920.

Factual Allegations

A.1. From on or about October 6, 1986 through on or about October 5, 1987, Patient A (this patient and all other are identified in the attached appendix), went to Respondent for treatment at this office located at 63 W. Fordham Road Bronx, N.Y. At each of the 13 visits Respondent diagnosed Patient A as suffering from bronchial asthma without performing the necessary

EXHIBIT "A"

physical examination and without obtaining a sufficient patient history to substantiate that diagnosis.

A.2. At each of the 13 visits Respondent prescribed either a ventolin, proventil, or isopril inhaler without medical justification.

A.3. On or about October 6, November 11, 1986, February 18, March 9, March 26, April 13, and April 28, 1987, Respondent prescribed valium or elavil to Patient A without medical justification.

B.1. From on or about March 30, 1987 through on or about August 11, 1987, Patient B went to Respondent's office for treatment. At each visit Respondent diagnosed the patient as suffering from bronchial asthma without performing the necessary physical examinations and without obtaining a sufficient patient history to substantiate that diagnosis.

B.2. On the March 30th visit Respondent diagnosed periumbilical tenderness without performing the necessary physical examination to substantiate that diagnosis.

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B.3. At each of the four visits, Respondent prescribed alupent inhalers and flexaril to Patient B without medical justification.

B.4. On or about March 30 and August 11, 1987, Respondent prescribed tagamet and/ or zantac to Patient B without medical justification.

C.1. From on or about January 19, 1987 through on or about November 18, 1987, Patient C went to Respondent's office for treatment. At each of patient C's 14, visits Respondent diagnosed Patient C as suffering from bronchial asthma without performing the necessary physical examinations and without obtaining a sufficient patient history to substantiate the diagnosis.

C.2. At each of the patient's 14 visits, Respondent prescribed a proventil inhaler to Patient C without medical justification.

C.3. From on or March 18, through November 18, 1987, Respondent prescribed flexaril to Patient C without medical justification.

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D.1. From on or about March 9, 1987 through on or about May 26 1987, Patient D went to Respondent's office for treatment. On each of the five visits Respondent diagnosed Patient D as suffering from bronchial asthma without performing the necessary physical examination and without obtaining a sufficient patient history to substantiate the diagnosis.

D.2. At each of the patient's five visits Respondent prescribed a proventil inhaler and flexaril to Patient D without medical justification.

E.1. From on or about October 6, 1986 through on or about May 28, 1987, Patient E went to Respondent's office for treatment. Respondent diagnosed Patient E as suffering from otitis externa, nervousness and insomnia without performing the necessary physical examinations and without obtaining a sufficient patient history to substantiate the diagnosis.

E.2. On each of the seven visits, Respondent prescribed sinequan, valium and flexaril to Patient E without medical justification.

#### SPECIFICATION

#### PRACTICING MEDICINE FRAUDULENTLY

Respondent is charged with professional misconduct by reason of practicing the profession of medicine fraudulently

within the meaning of N.Y. Educ. Law Section 6509 (2) (McKinney 1985) in that Petitioner charges:

1. The facts in Paragraphs A.1 through A.3; B.1 through B.4; C.1 through C.3; D.1 through D.2; E.1 through E.2.

DATED: New York, New York  
*October 10, 1989*



CHRIS STERN HYMAN  
Counsel  
Bureau of Professional Medical  
Conduct

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER OF  
EDUCATION OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

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MUKALINPURATHU GEEVARGHESE

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CALENDAR NO. 10509



**The University of the State of New York**

IN THE MATTER

OF

**MUKALINPURATHU GEEVARGHESE**  
(Physician)

**DUPLICATE  
ORIGINAL  
VOTE AND ORDER  
NO. 10509**

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Upon the application of MUKALINPURATHU GEEVARGHESE, under Calendar No. 10509, which application is made a part hereof, and in accordance with the provisions of Title VIII of the Education Law, it was

**VOTED** (January 17, 1990): That the application of MUKALINPURATHU GEEVARGHESE, respondent, for permission to surrender respondent's license to practice as a physician in the State of New York be granted; and that the Commissioner of Education be empowered to execute, for and on behalf of the Board of Regents, all orders necessary to carry out the provisions of this vote;

**and it is**

**ORDERED**: That, pursuant to the above vote of the Board of Regents, said vote and the provisions thereof as well as the application and the provisions thereof are hereby adopted and **SO ORDERED**, and it is further

**ORDERED** that respondent may not apply for the restoration of said license until at least one (1) year has elapsed from the effective date of the service of this order, and it is further

**ORDERED** that this order shall take effect as of the date of the personal service of this order upon the respondent or five days after mailing by certified mail.

MUKALINPURATHU GEEVARGHESE (10509)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Thomas Sobol,  
Commissioner of Education of the State of  
New York, for and on behalf of the State  
Education Department and the Board of  
Regents, do hereunto set my hand and affix  
the seal of the State Education Department,  
at the City of Albany, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of  
January 1990.

*Thomas Sobol*

Commissioner of Education